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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the term for responding to the Final Office Action of November 4, 2002, be extend by three months, to and including May 4, 2003. Since May 4, 2003, is a Sunday, this request, filed the following business day, is timely. We are submitting a check herewith, of which \$465.00 is allocable to the extension fee. The application is entitled to small-entity status.

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